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The Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

Re: United States Patent Application No. 09/270,111
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONCENTRATING A
GAS USING A SINGLE STAGE ADSORPTION ZONE
Filed: March 16, 1999
Group Art No. : 1724
Applicant: Conrad et al.

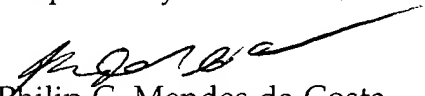
The applicant acknowledges receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted which was mailed on April 9, 1999. At this time, the applicant encloses herewith the following:

1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted; and
2. A Declaration as executed by the inventor.

Accordingly, enclosed herewith is our cheque no. 0340 in the amount of \$1,388.00 which comprises the filing fee (\$760.00), the surcharge fee (\$130.00) and additional claims (\$498.00). If any additional fees are required, please withdraw them from our deposit account no. 02-2095 or credit any surcharge thereto.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that filing of this application is now complete.

Respectfully submitted,


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|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 102 | 78 | 202 | 39 | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 104 | 260 | 204 | 130 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid |
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| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 | 2,520 | For filing a request for reexamination | |
| 112 | 920* | 112 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
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| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | |
| 116 | 380 | 216 | 190 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 117 | 870 | 217 | 435 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 118 | 1,360 | 218 | 680 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 128 | 1,850 | 228 | 925 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 119 | 300 | 219 | 150 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 120 | 300 | 220 | 150 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 260 | 221 | 130 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 138 | 1,510 | 138 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 141 | 1,210 | 241 | 605 | Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 142 | 1,210 | 242 | 605 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 430 | 243 | 215 | Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 580 | 244 | 290 | Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 123 | 50 | 123 | 50 | Petitions related to provisional applications | |
| 126 | 240 | 126 | 240 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | |
| 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 146 | 760 | 246 | 380 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 149 | 760 | 249 | 380 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |

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